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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision, mailed February 10, 2004, rejecting claims 1, 3-6 and 8-10. The filing fee of \$330.00 required under 37 CFR 1.17(b) is submitted herewith.

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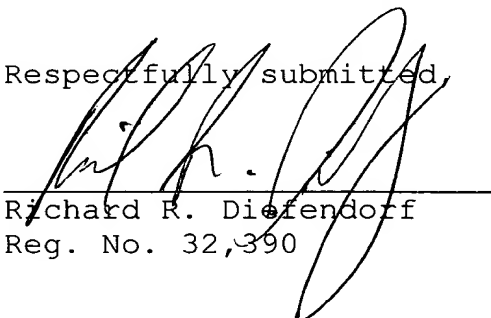
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